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*Arrival at Baltimore of vessels from South American and West Indian ports.*

BALTIMORE, MD., February 15, 1902.

SIR: I have to report the arrival of the following vessels at this port for the week ended this day: British steamship *Fashoda*, from Rio de Janeiro, with ore; Norwegian steamship *Otta*, from Daiquiri, with ore.

Respectfully,

T. E. CUNNINGHAM,  
*Special Deputy Collector of Customs.*

## REPORTS FROM THE MEXICAN BORDER.

*Eagle Pass, Tex., February 10, 1902—Inspection service.*—I have the honor to report the following transactions at this port for the week ended February 8, 1902: Number of passenger trains from Mexico inspected, 8; number of passengers on trains from Mexico inspected and passed, 200; number of passengers detained, none.

B. KINSELL,  
*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

*El Paso, Tex., February 8, 1902—Inspection service.*—I have the honor to submit the following summary of transactions at this station for the week ended February 8, 1902: Inspection of Mexican Central Railroad passengers, 168; inspection of Rio Grande and Pacific Railroad passengers, 32; inspection of immigrants, 170; vaccination of immigrants and their children, 17.

E. ALEXANDER,  
*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

*Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.*

CALIFORNIA—*Los Angeles.*—Month of January, 1902. Estimated population, 120,000. Total number of deaths, 221, including diphtheria, 3; enteric fever, 2; scarlet fever, 1, and 46 from tuberculosis.

GEORGIA—*Augusta.*—Month of January, 1902. Estimated population, 41,441. Total number of deaths, 70, including scarlet fever, 1; whooping cough, 1, and 8 from tuberculosis.

ILLINOIS—*Peoria.*—Month of January, 1902. Census population, 56,100. Total number of deaths, 49, including enteric fever, 2, and 6 from tuberculosis.

IOWA—*Davenport.*—Month of January, 1902. Estimated population, 38,000. Total number of deaths, 54, including scarlet fever, 3, whooping cough, 3, and 6 from tuberculosis.

KENTUCKY—*Louisville.*—Month of January, 1902. Estimated population, 215,000. Total number of deaths, 325, including diphtheria, 10; enteric fever, 12, and 34 from phthisis pulmonalis.

MARYLAND—*Cumberland.*—Month of January, 1902. Estimated population, 17,128. Total number of deaths, 27, including enteric fever, 1; scarlet fever, 1; whooping cough, 1, and 3 from tuberculosis.

MICHIGAN.—Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, for the week ended February 8, 1902, from 82 observers, indicate that dysentery and erysipelas were more prevalent and phthisis pulmonalis,